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Invention: COMPOSITION FOR DETECTING BETA-1,3-GLUCAN

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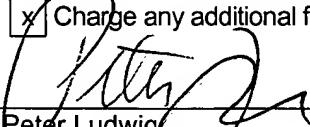
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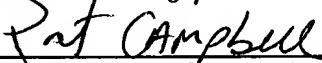
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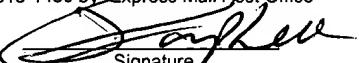
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Official Action of **January 29, 2004** for the above-identified patent application, please enter the following amendments and consider the accompanying remarks.

It is believed that no fees are required for this response. However, should the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office determine that any additional fee up to \$1,000.00 is required, please charge the required fee to our Deposit Account No. 04-0100.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this document.

Remarks and Arguments begin on page 5 of this document.

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